

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An optical switching device comprises an optical switch array for switching between input/output paths of a plurality of input/output optical fibers. The optical switch array comprises a substrate, on which a cantilever is supported. A part of the cantilever on the leading end side is provided with an annular support, which supports a movable mirror inclinably. The movable mirror reflects an optical signal from any of the input/output optical fibers toward another input/output optical fiber. The leading end of the cantilever is provided with a comb part. Arranged on the upper face of the substrate are an electrode for tilting the movable mirror from side to side about an axis of the cantilever and an electrode for flexing the cantilever toward the substrate.